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For: EMERGENCY BRAKE SYSTEM)

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Sir:

Enclosed are duplicate copies of JP 8-040222, JP 10-329697, JP 6-119599 and JP 49-9850 which were cited in the International Search Report ("ISR") for counterpart application PCT/JP03/12441. The undersigned is providing these references at the request of Examiner Williams so that all references cited in the ISR may be considered in this application.

This submission follows a telephone conversation between the undersigned and Examiner Williams on June 20, 2006. During this conversation, Examiner Williams indicated that he had never received copies of JP 8-040222, JP 10-329697, JP 6-119599 and JP 49-9850 nor none of the remaining references cited in the ISR, even though Form PCT/DO/EO/903 indicates that copies of all references were received as part of the Section 371 filling. Also, it is understood that Examiner Williams was able to obtain copies of the remaining references cited in the ISR. If this understanding is incorrect and copies of additional references cited in the ISR

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are needed, Examiner Williams is invited to contact the undersigned at 703-838-6520.

As the requirements under §1893.03(g) were previously satisfied, it is respectfully requested that Examiner Williams consider all references cited in the ISR and provide evidence of that consideration in a subsequent communication.

Respectfully submitted,

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